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## SU Says "No More Cuts"

By Sarah Frantz  
New Editor

The Salisbury University Advocacy Network recently began a campaign to prevent further budget cuts of approximately \$1.17 million at Salisbury University.

The network is comprised of students, faculty and staff. A meeting was held on Feb. 19 to discuss the issue. SU President Janet Dudley-Eshbach was present and spoke on the matter.

"Salisbury University needs to get its fair share of whatever is there," said Dudley-Eshbach.

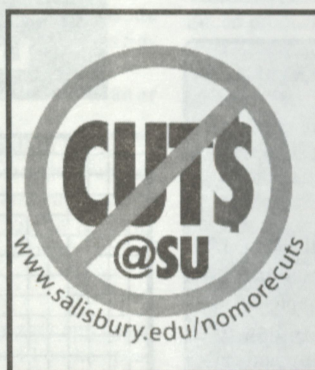
The network has organized a "No More Cuts Phonathon," scheduled for Feb. 27, where teams of students will call their parents and home legislators to persuade them not to pass the new legislature.

According to Richard Culver, director of media relations for the public relations department, an additional cut would cause serious threats to education at SU.

"[The cuts] would result in more staff layoffs, curtailment of faculty searches currently underway, support for further tuition hikes, a severe reduction in adjunct faculty, reduced selection of courses and the possible retrenchment of academic programs," said Culver.

Many of these consequences could lead students to stay an extra year at SU to finish their educations, said Culver.

Sondra Dietz, vice president of public relations for SGA, and BriAnn Trombetta, speaker of the senate for SGA,



Budget cuts threaten education.

Courtesy of Richard Culver.

have helped organize the phonathon.

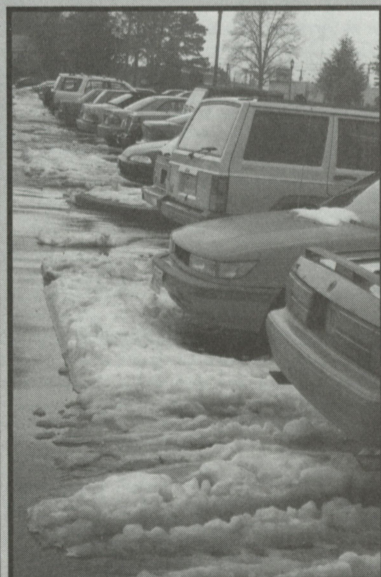
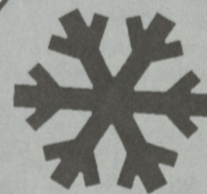
"It is kind of scary to think about the possibilities of what could happen if [the new legislature] gets passed," said Dietz.

"I think it will make a good point," said Trombetta. "I just don't know how seriously [the legislators] will take it."

The phonathon will take place from 6-8 p.m. at the Commons in the Caroline room. All students are encouraged to stop by and make a call.

For more information, visit the Salisbury University Advocacy Network's "No More Cuts" web site at <http://www.salisbury.edu/NoMoreCuts/>. The site provides information for everyone to locate and contact the legislator from his or her district.

## Students question snow policy



Snow filled parking lots caused trouble for SU students.

By Bryan Shone

Inclement weather flooded Salisbury University and much of the east

coast last week, leaving many SU students upset with the decision to resume classes at 11 a.m. on Feb. 18.

David Buchanan, provost of SU, is in charge of school cancellations and late openings. "Our first concern is safety of the students and staff," said Buchanan.

Buchanan said that the chief of police, James Phillips, keeps in touch with State Police and weather services. Buchanan monitors [www.weather.com](http://www.weather.com) and other weather reports. He also hears from local school districts and checks with UMES. The director of the Physical Plant, Kevin Mann, schedules snow removal crews to come in early, usually around 3 or 4 a.m.

"We try to anticipate if campus walks can be cleared, then parking lots. Our Inclement Weather Policy is that if we can do so safely, we will be open. We don't have snow days in our schedule because we must follow the USM calendar, which requires a minimum number of class hours per course and constrains our flexibility on

when to start and stop the semester," said Buchanan.

Vice President of Student Affairs Carol Williamson and Associate Provost Kent Kimmel also help make the decision to cancel or hold classes. Once their decision is made, the director of public relations, Gains Hawkins, is in charge of getting the message out to the media and on SU's web page.

Several students are upset with the decisions made by Buchanan and his colleagues.

"The school and those employees responsible for cleaning up the parking lot and making the campus safe to walk on did a wonderful job of wasting their time on Monday. Because of their lackadaisical attitudes, parking was a mess and people could have been injured rather seriously," said Tommy King, a junior.

"Overall, I think the school was prepared. However, the parking lot was absolutely horrible," said Megan Middleton,

a junior. "I must have forgotten my ice skates at home. And they just piled the snow into parking spaces! I actually saw one car parked vertically on a snow pile. I don't know how they did it but thank God for four wheel drive and emergency brakes. I saw another car with a note on the window saying 'please don't give me a ticket. There is nowhere else to park.' Next to the note was a ticket."

Some students used the snow to have a good time, while others just tried to maneuver through it.

"I was slipping left and right and I could barely control my scooter," said Rohry Flood, a junior.

"I have a night class and the snow and ice all freezes at night making it very difficult to drive on," said JP Grimes, a junior.

"I accept the fact that no matter what decision I make it will not satisfy everyone," said Buchanan.

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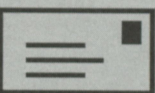
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# Letter to the editor



Dear Flyer Editor,

I am writing this letter to voice my displeasure with the SOAP organization. Last Wednesday students had the opportunity to call the SOAP office to attempt to reserve tickets to a Washington Wizards game against the New Jersey Nets. Along with my roommate and a number of other people from my dorm, I was extremely excited since the day I saw the poster advertising the game. We were all counting down the days until we had to call to get tickets.

I figured it would be a great opportunity to get off campus for a day since I don't have a car and it is not easy for me to get off campus very often. Also being from Connecticut I don't get the chance to see the Wizards play at all, so having the chance to see Michael Jordan play in his final season would have been amazing for me. This was one of the few things that I really wanted to do and I actually looked forward to here at school. I came to school expecting to play baseball and that didn't work out either so I am really starting to become disappointed with the lack of opportunities at Salisbury. It seems everything I want to do here doesn't happen.

There was also a little misunderstanding on the day that the tickets went on sale. The email I received said we could call to reserve tickets at 9:00. Thinking that that was 9:00 a.m. I set my alarm for 8:50 rolled out of bed and called the SOAP office. There was no answer and since I didn't want to just hang up and possibly lose my shot at tickets, I left a message. After waiting for a while I called back again and actually talked to someone who told me that the tickets went on sale at 9:00 p.m. I went on with my day counting down until 9:00 p.m. when I could reserve

my Wizards tickets. When the time finally came, I began calling at exactly 9:00. The answering machine picked up again and said "if you are calling for Wizards tickets, please hang up and call again." I did what the machine told me and called back numerous times only to get the same response.

After about 20 minutes of listening to the same message, an actual person answered only to say "sorry the Wizards tickets are sold out." Before I could respond there was no one on the other end of the phone. I couldn't ask any questions or anything. So I continued to call for a couple more minutes only to get the answering machine. This left a very bad taste in my mouth about the entire organization. They advertise to a school of about 7,000 students that they will have the tickets to a game, but after less than 20 minutes they have no tickets left. This didn't seem right to me. I immediately began to assume that the majority of the tickets went to members of SOAP and there were only a limited number left for the rest of campus. I don't know if this is true but I have no evidence to prove that theory wrong.

There should be a better process in the future to make it an equal opportunity for all students to get tickets. I called as early as I could and I was still left out in the cold with no tickets and nothing to do on Friday night. I don't understand how this is fair and maybe by writing this letter I might get some answers.

Sincerely,  
Brendan McAvoy  
Wicomico Hall #28

## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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## LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

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# SU celebrates Women's History Month



Sojourner Truth is one many women honored this month.

By Erik Burnett

Salisbury University is kicking off its first annual campus-wide celebration of Women's History Month with several different speakers and performances to commemorate the achievements of women. The theme of this year's events is "I want to be a woman like me."

Women's History Month was established to celebrate the accomplishments of women in American history, such as Susan B. Anthony, Elizabeth Cady Stanton, Sojourner Truth and Eleanor Roosevelt.

"There are thousands of women to be recognized during this month. Few are recognized by the average student, but they have played a prominent role in history," said James McCallops, a professor of women's history at Salisbury University.

Kimberly Peirce, writer and director of "Boys Don't Cry," will come speak in the Holloway Hall Auditorium on Mar. 5 at 8 p.m. to lead a discussion on her film,

following its showing at 6 p.m. The film won a 1999 Academy Award and will be shown three different times on campus.

"Kim Peirce will be speaking about the film, filmmaking in general and the role of women in Hollywood," said Meghan Teal, president of SOAP.

Another event celebrating Women's History Month is the student-produced production of Eve Ensler's "The Vagina Monologues." The performance will be held on Mar. 1 at 8 p.m. in the Wicomico Room of the Guerrieri University Center. Donations will be collected at the door, and the proceeds will go towards the Life Crisis Center, a non-profit agency for victims of abuse.

The events for the Women's History Month series are sponsored by the Gender Studies Interest Group, the Office of the President, the Office of the Provost, the Fulton, Perdue, Henson and Seidel Schools, Office of Cultural Affairs and SOAP.

McCallops would like to see an

increase in dialogue throughout campus on women's history and the current situation for women in society.

"There is a perception of equality in society, but it is not true. There are a lot of areas that still need addressing," said McCallops.

To find out more about the on-campus events for Women's History Month, call (410) 543-6030.

# SU campus raises money for cancer

By Caroline Watson

Salisbury University will host the second annual Relay for Life on April 5. Relay for Life is sponsored by the American Cancer Society to raise money to find a cure for cancer and promote cancer awareness.

Laura Happel, publicity chairperson for Relay for Life at SU, said 21 teams raised \$21,000 on campus last year. This year she hopes for at least 30 teams and \$30,000.

Teams can be formed from sports teams, academic clubs or even just a group of friends. Each team includes a captain and eight to 15 members. During the event, each team must have at least one member walking around the track at all times. This allows team members to take breaks and participate in the surrounding events and entertainment.

"Relay for Life sounds like a good way to raise money for cancer, and I can have fun raising it with all my friends," said Greg Swanson, a sophomore.

"[Relay for Life] is a great opportunity for our campus to get together for an event that is not alcohol related," said Kristin Zeiher, a returning team captain. She said it is also an opportu-



A team from last year's Relay for Life.

nity for students to participate in community service.

Entertainment like movies, music and themed laps are presented throughout the night to keep the participants' spirits high. Team fundraisers like bake sales,

games and raffles can be held at individual campsites throughout the night.

A reception is held at 5 p.m. for cancer survivors and families to gather and celebrate their winning fight over this disease. Following the reception, an opening

ceremony will include speeches that deal with cancer awareness and the effects cancer has had on people's lives.

After the ceremony, cancer victims and survivors will take a walk halfway around the track to meet up with family members who will then finish the lap with them. Team captains will walk the second lap, and the event will begin.

At 6 a.m., the closing ceremony is held, where prizes are awarded to the team that raised the most money and the individual who raised the most money. A prize is also given to the team with the best-decorated campsite. Zeiher won the best campsite award last year for her theme "voting cancer off the island."

Happel said that she hopes to see more faculty involvement at the event this year. She said that everyone has been affected by cancer in some way or another.

"You feel great about benefiting an actual cause, and you have so much fun doing it," said Zeiher.

The next team captain meeting is on March 10th. Anyone can attend the meeting and any questions can be directed to Happel at lah1962@salisbury.edu.

Photo courtesy of Kristin Zeiher

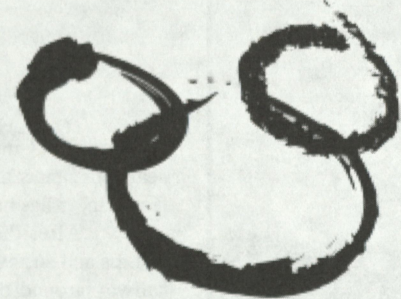


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## Eve Ensler's "The Vagina Monologues" Envisioning a world without violence

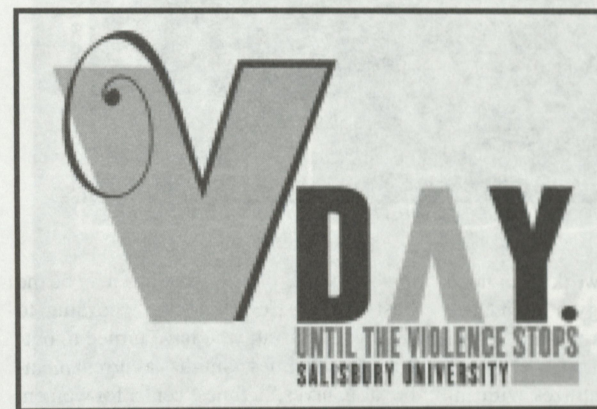


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By Chrissy Moore

The spirit of V-Day is to bring people together in order to educate and help end the violence that women face daily. I feel we as a group have done just that. We bond each time we meet and have become a close-knit, supportive group. Eve Ensler was right, once you get people talking about vaginas they just don't want to stop! Deep down everyone is a Vagina Warrior!

Vagina is not a bad word! If you have ever touched a vagina, you need to come see Eve Ensler's award winning production of "The Vagina Monologues" on Saturday March 1 in the Wicomico Room. Admittance through donation only, \$3 at the door. Proceeds will benefit the Life Crisis Center and Safehouse.

Eve Ensler has created a collective yet unique testimony of womanhood in all its potency, hilarity and heartbreak through her interviews with women from around the world about the vagina—a social taboo. The words, sentiments and memories could come from people like your mother, your sister or your daughter. "The Vagina Monologues" is a daring and intricate balance of Eve Ensler's vision, compassion and brutally honest exploration.

Statistics show that every 21 hours on each college campus in the United States, there is a rape, and that 84% of the men having committed those rapes said what they did was definitely not rape, according to Campus Outreach Services. One in three women worldwide and one in four women in college are victims of violence.

V-Day is a global movement to stop violence against women and girls including rape, battery, incest, female genital mutilation (FGM) and sexual slavery. V-Day provides funding to create and nurture innovative programs to stop the violence ([www.vday.org](http://www.vday.org)).

The V-Day College Campaign invites colleges and universities to present benefit productions of "The Vagina Monologues" on or around Feb. 14 to raise money and awareness for the issue. SU will be one of 656 other colleges and universities across America participating in the program, and the proceeds will be donated directly to local organizations that support the V-Day cause.

I wanted to make sure to have cam-

pus-wide involvement; V-Day is NOT something for theater students only. I felt it was important to have a wide range of different people with different views involved. The group first came together three short weeks ago at an interest meeting, and it was wonderful. I didn't know what to expect. We all got along from the start and everyone seemed so interested and willing to help end violence in any way possible. There were even some really cool boys who wanted to help out!

Onstage, 17 students will share monologues based on real-life experiences from women all over the world. These monologues are meant to be read, not acted, in order to honor the stories, the women, from which they are based. The monologues are written in such a way to touch everyone in the audience. People will find something that they relate to, identify with, understand or actually learn, and I find it to

*"One in three women worldwide  
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are victims of violence"*

be a wonderful unifying experience. Through unity and education it's possible to end violence against women and girls.

"When the opportunity to get involved in the Monologues came up, I thought our production might be an appropriate platform for expressing my thoughts on women's independence from abuse and violence in general," says junior Laura Gabriszeski. "I've been telling people that violence breeds violence, it invades in the little things in life, it tears down and I like the idea of being a part of something that would edify."

"I have met several women who feel the way I do about vaginas, and how it is OK to say the word and to talk about vaginas and your experiences, desires and fantasies," says junior Lindsey Porter.

"I saw 'The Vagina Monologues' on HBO last year and thought they were amazing," says senior Kristen Cates. "I was so excited they were coming to school, quite frankly because

I thought that people at this school were very shallow and didn't think about anything, and I wanted to get involved. So far, I've had a great time because I've been around people I normally wouldn't talk to, which is unfortunate because a lot of the girls are very nice and spunky. I feel like I'm a part of something very important and special."

For this year's performance, each group has the option to write a new monologue titled "A World Without Violence," in keeping with the V-Day 2003 theme. Gabriszeski volunteered to take on the responsibility.

"As I wrote, I stopped thinking and felt what it would be like to be a victim and what a violence-free world would look like to that person," she says.

Porter will be reading a monologue titled, "My Vagina Was My Village," honoring the women and girls forced into Bosnian rape camps, as well as women all over the world who have suffered at the hands of rapists.

"Being able to read aloud a dramatic, moving, scary and powerful monologue such as 'My Vagina Was My Village' allowed me to overcome an incident in my life. I was able to take another step in the direction of forgiveness as well as forgetting," says Porter.

"It is my wish that when you hear these monologues performed you will lay aside your preconceptions and truly empathize with the storyteller," Gabriszeski says. "...that you will experience in the honest words of these women a different perspective from unique individuals."

The V-Day benefit production is a part of SU's first ever Women's History Month Celebration. Kimberly Peirce, writer and director of "Boys Don't Cry," will be

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## Concerns grow over North Korea

By Chris Weymont

As the world keeps its eye on the crisis with Iraq, another headache for the U.S. and the international community heats up on the back burner: North Korea. On Oct. 16, 2002, the U.S. publicly announced that the North Koreans were developing a secret nuclear weapons program. Then on Jan. 10, 2003, North Korea withdrew from the Nuclear Nonproliferation Treaty, setting a stage for a boiling diplomatic pot of water.

On June 30, 1950, President Truman committed U.S. forces to enforce the U.N. sanctioned demand that North Korea withdraw behind the 38th parallel. To this day, the U.S. and North Korea are still technically at war.

In January 2002, President Bush labeled North Korea as part of the Axis of Evil. According to Bush, North Korea, Iraq and Iran were "seeking weapons of mass destruction" and posed a "grave and grow-

ing danger" to the U.S. and its allies.

Fast-forward a year and the U.S., Japan and South Korea find that the North Korean rhetoric Bush offered is holding ground. North Korea has been pursuing nuclear weapons, discarding any obligations it had with the international community, and the U.S. administration finds itself in a quagmire.

In the 1994 Agreed Framework between the U.S. and North Korea, Pyongyang, the capital of North Korea, agreed to abandon its nuclear weapons program in return for aid from the United States, Japan and South Korea. When the North Koreans announced that they did, in fact, have a secret nuclear weapons program in development, the U.S. pledged to work for a peaceful resolution to the matter.

North Korea's erratic behavior is a migraine for the Bush administration. Since the diplomatic crisis began, allegations from both sides have flown back and forth in an endless game of blame. North Korea has even blamed the new James Bond movie, "Die Another Day," as one of the culprits for the rising tensions between Washington

and Pyongyang.

"The film represents the real intention of the U.S. keen on war as it considers the North as part of an 'axis of evil,' fans up division and confrontation between the South and the North and insults and makes mockery of the Korean nation," a North Korean news agency quoted a student group as saying.

The Bush administration has tried to initiate dialogue with North Korea but has been largely unsuccessful because North Korea has taken the stance that it will not hold negotiations unless the U.S. signs a non-aggression treaty.

"The only way out is to conclude a non-aggression treaty with the United States, which should be ratified by Congress," says North Korean ambassador to China, Choe Jin Su.

Since the acknowledgement of the nuclear weapons program, the U.S., South Korea and Japan have stopped oil shipments to the isolated communist state. The Bush administration says it will not

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# Students stress out about workouts

By Kristina Lawall

Many Salisbury University students find that relaxing the mind and body through exercise is the most efficient way to de-stress after a rigorous day of expelling brainpower.

Imagine your typical female SU student wanting to relax. She excitedly puts on her exercise gear. The stressed student leaves her household, arrives at Maggs Physical Activities Center, and heads for the Fitness Room.

The elliptical machine? Taken. Stationary bike? Taken. Treadmill? Taken. Stairmaster? Taken. In fact, every single machine already contains a sweaty, red-faced person.

Now the Fitness Room no longer resembles a place of relaxation, but a mosh pit of frustration with bodies everywhere and shot nerves. Unfortunately, our animated student example ends up leaving more aggravated than before.

Sound familiar? "The gym is always crowded, no matter when I go," says Tracy Shortt, a communication arts major. Other students are inclined to agree with Shortt's statement.

"I get really frustrated when I go to the gym," says junior Lindsay Smith. "I always have to wait for a machine, and when I finally get one I feel pressured to use it quickly so that the next person can have it."

According to SU students, attending Maggs is more of a hassle than a pleasure. "It is hard to find time in a student's schedule to exercise, and when Maggs is packed full of people you eventually don't want to go anymore," says Smith.

Dr. Carol Wood, physical education department chair, empathizes with students seeking recreational outlets.

*"Maggs was originally designed for a capacity of 2,500 students. Since the establishment of the building, university enrollment has doubled."*

recreational facilities.

She says that Maggs was originally designed for a capacity of 2,500 students. Since the establishment of the building, university enrollment has doubled, causing crowded spaces. "As you get more students, more classes must be provided," Wood says. "Our physical education major has grown 18 percent in last five years."

The growing major, combined with more PHEC sections, typically books the



A rare moment of peace in the Nautilus room during faculty hour.

Fitness Room during the week from noon to 4 p.m., which makes gym attendance more difficult for students wishing to use Maggs recreationally.

Wood also empathizes with instructors, who after trying to clear a room for a scheduled class have to deal with angry fitness gurus interrupted during their exercise regime.

Students and faculty claim that a solution to the overpopulation problem lies in more space. "Campus recreation should expand its facilities, but recent budget cuts probably won't allow for it," says sophomore Bill Hart.

Hart, an avid Ultimate Frisbee player, says that complaining students should take up a physical activity, like an intramural sport. "We could always use more people with athletic abilities or who just want to have fun," he says.

Other physical options may be the best solution for students, according to Smith and Shortt, who have turned to outside gym facilities. Smith is a current member of "Curves," a fitness center for women, and Shortt attends the local YMCA. "I told five people about going to the Y and all of them joined," says Shortt. "Now I can't exercise in private."

Students in need of exercise can also join local gyms like Powerhouse or make use of the well-known "Turkey Trot."

Blame it on budget cuts, poor planning or over-anxious students, but a moment to exercise is in high demand among the SU population.

"SU is experiencing a time of growth," Wood says. "As long as the facilities continue to grow with the admission of students we should be okay."

Photo by Constance Mensch

# Spring brings barrage of new music

By Brian Zitzelman

For students longing for something new to listen to, this spring will be a welcome season. Over the next few months, a number of big albums will be released. Whether it be major follow up albums, such as Linkin Park's new release, or the latest from long time hit maker Madonna, the spring is going to be a significant time for music lovers.

The first major release of the spring is *Meteora* from Linkin Park. It is the follow up to 2001's best selling album *Hybrid Theory*, which went on to sell more than eight million copies. The band went into the studio last summer to work on the album after nearly two straight years of touring. Linkin Park did release the album *Reanimation* last July; however, that album consisted entirely of remixes of previously released material.

"The album should be off the hook," says sophomore Steven Lessner. Whether or not the band will be able to break past the sophomore jinx will be seen

on March 25.

The week following *Meteora* sees the new Limp Bizkit album arrive in stores. Titled *Less is More*, this will be the first Limp Bizkit CD without guitarist and co-founder Wes Borland, who left the band last year. The expectations for *Less is More* are high, not just due to Borland's departure, but also because of the lackluster sales of Limp Bizkit's previous effort *Chocolate Starfish and the Hotdog Flavored Water*.

On April 15, one of last year's biggest breakout groups will release their new latest effort. When *Elephant* by The White Stripes hits shelves, expect fans and critics to go crazy. As 2002 came to an end, the duo gained numerous awards. In fact, *Spin* magazine named The White Stripes' last album, *White Blood Cells*, the record of the year.

One of the spring's biggest releases will be, of course, the new disc from Madonna titled *American Life*.

"I'm really excited about its upcoming release," says Lessner. "I feel that

Madonna always exudes freshness and originality."

Set to come out on April 21, the album and its first video have already garnered the diva some controversy, regarding the anti-war feelings that Madonna has expressed in the video and album. Madonna has recently responded to harsh allegations about the video: "I am not anti-Bush. I am not pro-Iraq. I am pro peace," she says on her website. "I am grateful to have the freedom to express these feelings and that's how I am honoring my country."

The first major release of May comes from Big Boi and Dre, a duo better known as Outkast. This is the band's first album of all new material since the award winning *Stankonia*. The currently untitled album is set to be a double disc. Big Boi and Dre have stated that each disc will lend itself more to their differing styles, one with an R&B feel and the other with a more funk oriented vibe.

"It is going to be so dope," says junior Jason Illari. "I can't wait for that album to hit the streets."

The final big album of the spring semester will be *The Golden Age of Gro-*

*tesque* by Marilyn Manson. The shock rocker's latest is scheduled to arrive on shelves May 13, just days before the end of school. Manson has already signed onto the music festival Ozzfest to support the album this summer. Ozzy Osbourne, Korn and Trust Company are among the other bands already set to perform on the tour.

Whether a fan of R&B, heavy metal, or whatever one wants to call Madonna's music, quality music choices for the spring are certainly on the horizon.



Look for Linkin Park's newest in March.

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# Vagina

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visiting campus on Wednesday March 5 to share her experiences as an award winning screenwriter and director and as a woman who has been successful in the film industry. Other concerts and events will follow through the month.

If you are interested in joining the V-Day fight or for more info about the SU Women's History Month Celebration visit the V-Day SU website @ <http://events.vday.org/2003/College/SalisburyStateUniversity>. You may also visit the V-Day website to get more info, to help end the violence or to join the V-Day family at [www.vday.org](http://www.vday.org).

(Chrissy Moore is the student-director of "The Vagina Monologues," which

will be presented on March 5 in the Wicomico Room).

## Korea

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be diplomatically blackmailed by North Korea.

How dangerous is North Korea? Many in the Bush administration believe that the isolated Pyongyang is trying to reach out for help. U.S. officials still worry about how far North Korea will go in the game of nuclear brinkmanship. On Feb. 12, the director of the CIA, George Tenet, an-

nounced that North Korea has the capability of hitting the U.S. west coast with a nuclear weapon. Now that a threat can become a possibility, people are more aware of the situation with North Korea.

"Personally, I don't see North Korea as a real threat. Of course I don't see Iraq as a real threat but will support whatever scheme the president comes up with to distract us from the economy," says Anthony Cirillo, a student at SU. Others are not so sure.

"I am afraid of the threat that Iraq poses and even more frightened about the behavior of North Korean leader Kim Jong II," says SU senior Chris Nelson. "A man who starves his people so the army can train and intimidate is very sickening to my stomach."

The U.S. faces a long road of diplomacy with North Korea. The North Koreans have already said that if any new economic sanctions are placed on the communist state, it will be considered a declaration of war. With the clouds of war gathering over Iraq, diplomacy seems the will of the way with North Korea.

"I think North Korea is more of a threat than Iraq, however, I think we can solve our problems with North Korea without war," says SU student Zach Fisher. Secretary of Defense Donald Rumsfeld hopes the outcome will be peace, but reassures the American people that U.S. forces are more than capable of fighting a two-front war.

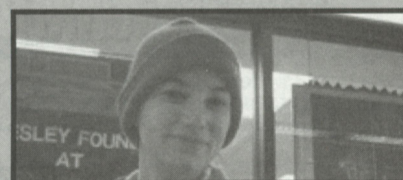
## Overheard

By Abby Finestine and Sonia Thompson

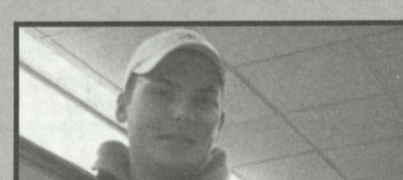
### "What do you think the word 'williwaw' means?"



"That is not a real word. I guess it's a noun meaning, a device used to stir a drink."  
Jeff Boteler  
Junior



"Something that gives someone the chills or willies."  
Kate Shelley  
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"Is that a real word? It means to make someone happy."  
John Savage  
Junior



"It sounds like an Indian word. Maybe an Indian form of carwash."  
Matt Huban  
Senior



"Willy-who? It could mean a really big wedgie."  
Mwelwa Changwe  
Sophomore



"Williwaw? Umm...no comment."  
Sean Chapman  
Sophomore



"Is it a city? It sounds like Walla Walla...it's gotta be some sort of food."  
Meghan Teal  
Senior



"A bird that lures other birds by its bird call."  
Sheena Royston  
Junior

The word williwaw is a noun meaning:

A sudden violent gust of cold land air common among the mountainous coasts of high latitudes; a sudden violent wind; a violent commotion. (Merriam Webster's Collegiate Dictionary)

## Campus Blurbs

Compiled by Constance Mensh

### Announcements

TICKETS FOR GRADUATION- PLEASE NOTE: There will be two spring graduation ceremonies on Thursday, May 22, held at the Wicomico Youth and Civic Center:

- Seidel School of Education and Professional Studies and Perdue School of Business at 10 a.m.

- Fulton School of Liberal Arts and Henson School of Science and Technology at 2 p.m.

The University Graduation Committee issues tickets for guests who wish to attend the graduation ceremony.

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### Campus Events

The African-American History Month Brown Bag Lunch Discussion by Rev. Benjamin Jordan on "A Comparison and Discussion of the Philosophies of W.E.B. DuBois and Booker T. Washington" originally scheduled for Feb. 7 has been rescheduled for Wednesday, March 5, 2003 at noon. The public is invited to bring lunch to the Wicomico Room in the Guerrieri University Center. For more information call 410-548-4503.

The critically acclaimed independent film *Boys Don't Cry*, followed by a discussion with director Kimberly Peirce, will be presented Wednesday, March 5, at Salisbury University's Holloway Hall Auditorium. The movie begins at 6 p.m. with Peirce's comments starting at 8. Admission is free. The program is part of the many activities marking Women's History Month at SU. For more information, visit the University's Web site, [www.salisbury.edu](http://www.salisbury.edu) or call 410-543-6030.

Salisbury University's production of *Hamlet*, directed by Charles Duff, the internationally renowned theatre and opera director and lecturer at Shakespeare's Globe Theatre in London, opens Thursday, March 6, at 7 p.m. with additional evening performances Friday-Saturday, March 7-8 and Thursday-Saturday, 13-15. Matinee performances at 2 p.m. are Sunday, March 9 and 16. General admission is \$10, \$8 for senior

citizens and children. Reservations are recommended by calling the Theatre Box Office at 410-543-6228.

### Internships & Scholarships

Salisbury University is offering several travel grants to students who plan to study abroad during summer and fall 2003 sessions. Applicants need to have a declared major, be enrolled full-time and have a 3.0 or higher GPA. Applications are available in the International Student Services office (Guerrieri University Center 229 A), Modern Languages (Holloway Hall 347) or the International Education Office (Guerrieri University Center 256). Applications are also available online at [www.salisbury.edu/Students/ISS/HelpYou/StudyAbroad.html](http://www.salisbury.edu/Students/ISS/HelpYou/StudyAbroad.html). Deadline for returning the applications is Friday, March 21, 2003. For more information, please contact Agata Liszkowska at (410) 543-6313.

The Merwin Leadership Scholarship in the amount of \$500 is available for a rising full-time junior or senior with a cumulative 3.0 GPA, who also demonstrates leadership in either on or off-campus programs. Qualified students should submit a current resume, a letter of application showing evidence of a commitment to leadership and the names and contact information for two references by Friday, March 14 to the Office of the Vice President of Student Affairs, GUC 212.

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Compiled by Sarah Frantz  
News Editor

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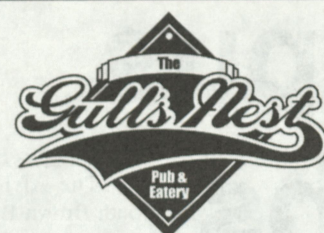
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# O's lose one of their own

By Matt Rosati

On February 17, one day after collapsing during a spring training workout, Oriole's pitching prospect Steve Bechler died of multi-system organ failure at a Fort Lauderdale hospital. He was only 23 years old.

The weather on Sunday reached 81 degrees with 70 percent humidity. That day, Bechler was halfway done with his workout when coaches noticed that he was white faced and leaning up against the fence between reps. The Orioles staff claimed that during spring training, this is nothing out of the ordinary when the players get tired. Hargrove had assistant trainer Brian Ebel checked Bechler out, making Bechler sit down on the grass. A golf cart then drove him back to the trainer's room, where he was given Power Aide hoping to re-hydrate him, but it did not help. He then laid flat on a bed to help lower his blood pressure, and was given more fluids to hydrate his body. "As he lay there, he got worse," Hargrove said.

Fire rescue and paramedic trucks were called to the scene, and Bechler was wheeled out of the clubhouse on an ambulance stretcher while being given oxygen and IV fluids. After being admitted to the hospital, Bechler was responsive in what was described by doctors as a "less-than-productive" way. Due to shortness of

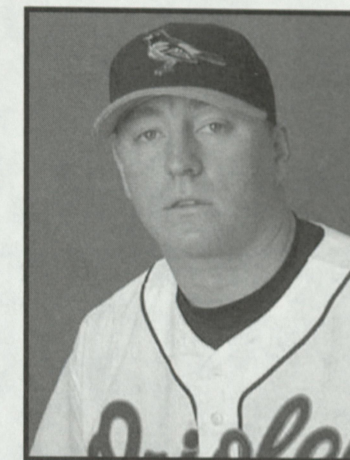


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breath, doctors inserted an airway and put him on respiratory support. After showing signs of improvement, doctors thought Bechler might be able to survive. However, all hopes seemed to fade as Bechler suffered one organ failure after another.

At a news conference, Oriole's team physician William Goldiner said that the clinical syndrome of heat stroke, in which the body overheats, led to "cell death", followed by organ failure.

The heat stroke that caused Bechler's organ failure has been rumored to be connected to the over-the-counter stimulant Ephedrine or ephedra. Ephedra products increase metabolism to aid weight loss. Bechler arrived at camp heavier than

his listed weight of 239, and coaches questioned the time he had spent in the off-season getting in shape. On the Friday before he collapsed, Bechler labored to complete the team run following a three-hour workout, and the next day was pulled off the field before finishing by Baltimore manager Mike Hargrove. According to the Baltimore Sun, Hargrove pulled Bechler as a disciplinary move. When asked to describe Bechler's conditioning Hargrove replied, "Not good. Back 20 or 25 years ago, everybody came into camp to get into shape, but that's not the game anymore. You come into camp in shape or you're behind. The conditioning we're doing is not out of the ordinary."

Reports have linked ephedra to heart attacks, strokes, seizures and heat-stroke. Ephedra is thought among doctors to interfere with the body's ability to release heat, causing temperature to rise. Bechler's temperature rose to 108 degrees at one point while doctors were treating him.

The U.S. Food and Drug Administration recorded 1,400 adverse reactions associated with the use of the stimulant from January 1993 to February 2000, including 81 reactions attributable to death.

Following the death of Minnesota Viking lineman Korey Stringer in the summer of 2001, the NFL reviewed their drug policy. They also reviewed their practice regimens, forcing teams to provide more

fluids, and at the first sign of heat exhaustion, a player must be tended to immediately. In addition, the NFL banned ephedra, saying it could interfere with the body's ability to regulate heat. Any NFL player caught taking ephedra is subject to harsher penalties than if he is found to have drugs such as cocaine in his blood. A first-time ephedra user can be suspended for up to four games. Players who test positive for illegal drugs are not suspended, but instead tested more frequently. The International Olympic Committee also banned ephedra; any athlete found with it in their system may be kicked off a team, or stripped of their medals. The NCAA has banned the substance and in division one programs the players are tested regularly. Although the MLB, the NBA and NHL have not banned the substance, they strongly discourage athletes from using it.

Bechler's death is the first resulting from baseball since 1920, when Indians shortstop Ray Chapman died from complications after being hit in the head by a pitch. In the past Bechler spent time with the Delmarva Shorebirds, and appeared in three games for the Orioles last season. At Triple-A Rochester, he was 6-11 with a 4.09 ERA. During his five minor league seasons, Bechler compiled a record of 35-48 with a 3.83 ERA.

# A promising season for SU track and field

By Noah Wood

The Salisbury men's and women's track and field season is already three weeks underway and all the athletes are expecting great performances and lots of improvement from previous seasons.

Both teams want to compete for and win the Capital Athletic Conference (CAC) Title and the coaches and athletes know they have what it takes to do it.

"Well, I think we returned a lot of people last year on the men's side and a few returning distance runners on the women's side," said Larry O'Hara, assistant coach and graduate student. "I think that we're

going to build on our success so far in the indoor season and move on to outdoor track, where we'll hopefully contend for the CAC Title on both sides. And I think we have the depth and talent to do it."

The team has already competed in three meets, the first being the Widener Invitational at Widener University in Chester, PA on Saturday, Feb. 1. There were satisfying performances that gave the athletes confidence for future success in the meets to come in the season: sophomore Justin Johnson's third place finish in the 400 meter dash, junior Tori Peddicord's fourth place finish in the 400 meter dash and sophomore

Bob Shawhan's seventh place finish in the 3000 meter race.

In addition, the whole team competed at the University of Maryland Eastern Shore Hawks Games at UMES on Saturday, February 8th. This was another successful meet for the Sea Gulls, because everyone on the team had the opportunity to compete in the events. Some notable performances include freshman Will Murdoch's first place finish in the mile race and Beau Ridgeway's shot-put win. The success at this meet proved that all the athletes have a lot to look forward to in the season.

Finally, the Seagulls competed at the Thomson Invitational on Saturday, Feb. 15 where a combined eight school records were set. Three records were set on the women's team from various track and field events: sophomore Melissa Lewis was fourth in the Weight Throw and set the record at 36'6.25", freshman Dana Sillers was sixth with a school record of 14'9" and the women's 4 X 800 meter relay (Rebecca Lyons, Sarah Hynes, Lauren Bragg and Kristin Camp) got third with a 10:41.99. The women's team finished third in the meet and

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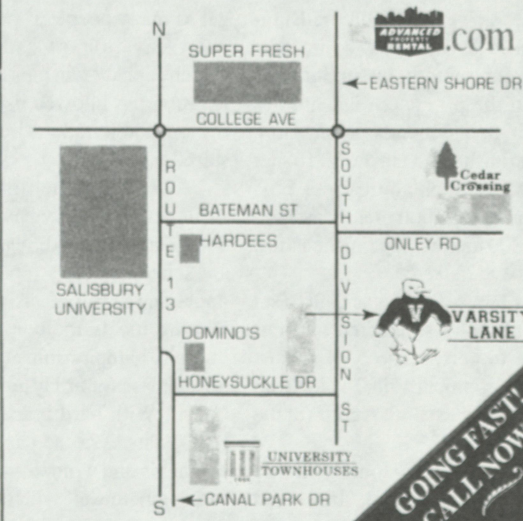


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# ACC – The best of the best

By Michael Fletcher

The Atlantic Coast Conference (ACC) has been one of the most interesting conferences to watch this season. The race for the regular season title will go down to the wire, as three teams are in the hunt for the title. Right now, Wake Forest is ahead, with Duke and Maryland right on their heels; these three teams will definitely make the NCAA Tournament's field of 65. Here's a look at the conference's top players and on-the-brink teams that need to step up their play in order to make the big dance.

**ACC Player of the Year** - Julius Hodge of N.C. State has looked impressive at times this year. He is averaging 18.2 points and 6.2 rebounds a contest as only a sophomore, and is the emotional leader on the Wildcats team. Steve Blake of Maryland is a great point guard, and one of the best in the country. He is averaging 11.8 points and 6.5 assists per game with a 2.19 assist to turnover ratio, which is second in the ACC. Despite both of these players having great numbers, the ACC player of the year is Josh Howard of Wake Forest. Howard is averaging 19.2 points and 8.4 rebounds per game, with 29 blocks and 40 steals. He is leading his team in most statistical categories and has the Deacons in first place in the ACC conference.

**ACC Freshman of the Year** - This year in the ACC there are a few outstanding freshmen that are producing for their team. They include Tarheels' Rashad McCants and Raymond Felton, Wake Forest's Justin Gray, and Duke's Shavlik Randolph and J.J. Reddick. While all of these freshmen are making a big impact on the conference, the freshman that stands out the most is Georgia Tech's Chris Bosh. Bosh is averaging 15.6 points, 9.5 rebounds and 1.95 blocks per game. He leads the league in blocks, and is second in rebound-

ing while starting in all 22 of Georgia Tech's games this season.

**North Carolina State** - They are fourth in the conference with a record of 7-5 and an overall record of 14-9. At this point they need to win a few more games in the conference. They have games against North Carolina, Clemson, Maryland and Wake Forest. If they can win three of these next four games, they should have no problem making the tournament.

**Virginia** - They have played well at times this year and other times have been blown out. They have beaten Maryland, and a huge non-conference win over #2 Kentucky. With ten losses now, Virginia really needs to win the rest of their regular season games in order to make it to the big dance.

**Clemson** - They have a losing record in the conference at 6-7, but they have an impressive overall record of 16-8, and if they can get to .500 in the conference, they have a good shot at making the field of 65. Also, with a strong showing in the ACC tournament, this could put them over the edge for a berth.

The ACC is wide open this year and since everyone has been having trouble winning on the road, anything can happen. The ACC tournament should be very interesting, because everyone is a road team, as the games take place at UNC Greensboro's home court.

The ACC is without a doubt one of the best College Basketball Conferences in America this year, as well as in history. Anything can happen, and any number of teams can win the ACC tournament and earn the free bid to the NCAA tournament. Don't miss the ACC tournament on March 13-16 to see all of these great players and teams in action.

## Sports calendar-March

### Men's Baseball

Date		Opponent	Place	Time
Mar 1	Sat	Montclair State	Salisbury	1 pm
Mar 2	Sun	Montclair State	Salisbury	1 pm
Mar 4	Tue	New Jersey	Salisbury	2:30 pm
Mar 6	Thu	Wesley	Salisbury	2:30 pm
Mar 8	Sat	Eastern Connecticut **	Salisbury	Noon
Mar 8	Sat	Greensboro **	Salisbury	3 pm
Mar 9	Sun	Eastern Connecticut **	Salisbury	Noon
Mar 9	Sun	Greensboro **	Salisbury	3 pm
Mar 11	Tue	Catholic *	Salisbury	2:30 pm
Mar 12	Wed	@Gallaudet (2) *	Washington, DC	Noon
Mar 15	Sat	Mary Washington (2) *	Salisbury	12:30 pm
Mar 19	Wed	@Washington	Chestertown, MD	2 pm
Mar 23	Sun	Chicago Univ (2)	Fort Myers, FL	TBA
Mar 24	Mon	MIT	Fort Myers, FL	TBA
Mar 25	Tue	Middlebury (2)	Fort Myers, FL	TBA
Mar 26	Wed	Coe	Fort Myers, FL	TBA
Mar 31	Mon	@Chowan	(rescheduled from Feb 16)	3:00

### Women's Softball

March 1	Gallaudet *	Salisbury	1 pm
March 2	Wesley	Salisbury	Noon
March 7-8	@VA. Wesleyan Tournament	Virginia Beach, VA, City View Park	
	vs. Roanoke	11 am (Fri)	
	vs. Averett	3 pm (Fri)	
	vs. Emory & Henry	9 am (Sat)	
	vs. Ferrum	1 pm (Sat)	
March 11	@Christopher Newport	Newport News, VA	2 p.m.
March 14-15	Sea Gull Invitational	Wicomico County Complex	9 am/9 am
	(Bates, Cabrini, King's, Lynchburg, Moravian, Virginia Wesleyan, Wesley, Wilkes)		
March 16	Bates	Salisbury	11 am
March 21-22	@East Coast Challenge Tourn.	Salem, VA	9 am/9 am
March 24	@Bridgewater	Bridgewater, VA	2:30 pm

### Men's Lacrosse

March 1	@York *	York, PA	1:00 pm
March 5	Goucher *	Sea Gull Stadium	3:30 pm
March 9	Ohio Wesleyan	Sea Gull Stadium	1:00 pm
March 12	@Virginia Wesleyan	Virginia Beach, VA	3:30 pm
March 16	Roanoke	Baltimore (Arch Curley HS)	1:00 pm
March 19	@Marymount *	Arlington, VA	3:30 pm
March 22	Trinity	Sea Gull Stadium	Noon
March 26	Union #	Port Richey, Florida	11:00 am

### Women's Lacrosse

March 1	@Notre Dame (Md)	Baltimore, MD	1:00 pm
March 5	St. Anselm	Salisbury	3:00 pm
March 8	Franklin & Marshall	Salisbury	1:00 pm
March 15	New Jersey	Salisbury	1:00 pm
March 19	Marymount *	Salisbury	4:00 pm
March 22	@Goucher *	Towson, MD	Noon

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is off to a great start with these new records.

The men's team, who finished fourth in the meet, set five school records during the meet as well: sophomore Brandon Fields placed sixth in the weight throw with 42'4.5", sophomore Justin Johnson placed sixth in the 60 meter high hurdles with a time of 8.78 seconds, sophomore Tristan Gilbert finished first in the 800 meter dash with 2:00.25, sophomore Brad Ellis finished second in the 1000 meter dash and the men's 4 X 800 meter relay finished third with a record of 8:22.97.

"I was happy that I was able to set a school record and also excited that our team was able to perform so well against tough division I competition," said Brad Ellis, who set the new school record for the 1000 meter race.

Head Coach Jim Jones believes that this season's athletes look strong and well trained to bring home some champi-

onship titles.

"Our hope every year is to win CACs for the men and women, and try to get as many people as possible to go to the NCAA National Championships," said Coach Jones. "I'm pleased that the Administration has allowed us to have an indoor season, and I think we're off to a very good start."

This is the first year that the SU Athletics Department has sanctioned an Indoor Track & Field Season. The Seagulls are scheduled for a total of five meets indoors and seven meets outdoors. The upcoming meets include the Mason-Dixon Indoor Championship at Newport News, VA this coming Saturday and the Virginia Tech Open. With hard practices and awesome performances at the past three meets, both the men's and women's teams feel that they can compete well with the best the competition has to offer in the upcoming season.